

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)  
(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
112701-200

In Re Application Of: **Fuchs et al.**

**JUL 26 2004**

Serial No.  
**09/821,498**

Filing Date  
**March 29, 2001**

Examiner  
**H. Pratt**

Group Art Unit  
**1761**

Invention:

**NUTRITIONAL COMPOUNDS AND METHODS OF IMPROVING PROTEIN DISTRIBUTION**

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **January 22, 2004** above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☐ Two months    ☒ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: **April 22, 2004**    until: **July 22, 2004**  
*Date*    *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$950** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **02-1818**  
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **02-1818**



Dated: **July 22, 2004**

*Signature*

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